

Emergency Animal Evacuation Plan

In disasters, the first priority is the protection of life, property and the environment. Although the protection of human life is the highest priority in an emergency response, recent disasters and follow-up research have shown that proper preparation and effective coordination of animal issues enhance the ability of emergency personnel to protect both human and animal health and safety.

The Town of Los Altos Hills Emergency Animal Evacuation Plan is intended as a guide for emergency staff to perform the critical field response support for the safe evacuation and sheltering of animals during a disaster. The plan outlines the procedures to organize qualified teams of volunteers to transport animals to an area that is safe and meets the animal's sheltering needs.

Ultimately, owners of horses, large animals and pets are responsible for their animal's evacuation and sheltering needs. For this reason, a disaster preparedness section is included in this plan. Animal owners should realize that they may not receive immediate government assistance during a disaster and may be on their own to provide for themselves and protect their property and animals.

For further information on the Plan and how you can volunteer, please call Steven Garcia at (650) 941-7222 x 242.

Kickoff the Holidays at Westwind Community Barn's Annual Barn Lighting!

You are invited to attend a family event

Sunday, December 5th, 3-5 PM

27210 Altamont Road, LAH

Refreshments, music, children's crafts, and a special appearance by Santa!

The lighting installation generously underwritten by Heritage Bank of Commerce.

Sponsored by Supporters of Westwind Community Barn, with the participation of LAH Parks and Recreation and other Town committees.



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LAH's Zunino Family WINS AGAIN in CA Pumpkin Contest!



***Amanda poses with Lilu
997 pounds***

Amanda's pumpkin, Lilu was last and surprised everyone by weighing the most at 997 pounds. Lilu came in first place at the California State Weigh Off held in Salinas. At just under half a ton, Lilu is the seventh largest pumpkin ever grown in the state of California.